

THE PAVING BONDS SOLD.

BID OF KLEYBOLTE & CO., OF NEW YORK, ACCEPTED.

Offered a Gratifying Premium. List of the Bids and the Bidders. The Price Paid.

Outside capital has again given a gratifying evidence of its confidence in Newport News.

The bids for the \$20,000 bond issue for street paving were opened by the Finance Committee of the council at noon yesterday. There were ten of them. All good offers except one, which went no better than par.

The bid of Messrs. Rudolph Kleybolte & Co., of New York, was the most advantageous and was accepted. This firm's offer was \$24,429, making the premium, of course, \$4,429, which is considered very good indeed for 4 per cent. bonds. Indeed, it is doubtful if there is another city in the State that could have gotten as high a bid. The successful firm is the same one which bought the sewer bonds at a good advance.

There is no better method of judging a city than by its bonds. When men who have made money-making a life study and a science, investigate a city's resources and conclude that it is worth several thousand dollars to them to lend that city money at 4 per cent, it is proof that said city has something back of it to inspire confidence. In this case, the successful firm after trying it once, liked it so well that they bid high for the privilege of trying it again.

All except two or three of the bids were accompanied by the required guarantee check of \$1,000. These checks, with the exception of Rudolph Kleybolte & Co., were returned. Those bids which were unaccompanied by checks were not considered.

Rudolph Kleybolte & Co., New York, \$24,429.

C. H. White & Co., New York, \$24,850.

Alison Lewis & Co., New York, \$22,062.

Prime, McCormick & Co., New York, \$21,845.

DeWitt, Tremble & Co., Chicago, \$21,585.50.

Donahoe & Co., and Hamilton & Co., Baltimore, \$21,545.

Limpy & Co., Cleveland, \$22,250.

Edward C. Jones, New York, \$22,025.

Hayes & Son, New York, \$22,180.

S. A. Keene, Chicago, \$20,000 (par).

Following is the list by percentages: Rudolph Kleybolte, New York, 121.81.

C. H. White, New York, 120.77.

W. J. Koyes, Cleveland, 120.75.

Lamprecht Bros. & Co., Chicago, 120.51.

Nelson, Lewis & Co., Boston, 120.229.

E. C. Jones & Co., New York, 120.25.

Prison, Prior & Co., New York, 120.245.

Prime, McCormick & Co., New York, 120.235.

DeWitt & Hamilton, Baltimore, 120.175.

S. A. Keene, Chicago, 120.000.

There was only \$23 difference between the first two bids, showing how nearly shrewd business men can come sometimes to guessing together.

Arrested for Fighting.

Officer Gray yesterday arrested Joseph Wilbert and John Sullivan for fighting. They were bailed by Justice Semmes in the sum of \$50 each.

At Point of Pines Pleasure Park.

Point of Pines, the pretty pleasure park among the pines, which opened so auspiciously on Monday evening was favored with another big crowd last night. The performance in the pavilion theatre was bright, refined and thoroughly entertaining in its every feature. The novel act of Garmannelli and Lucille, the musical artists, is alone well worth the price of admission. They responded to several recalls, Gallagher and Barnett, the Kings of Irish comedy, prove their right to the title in a most entertaining manner, keeping the house in a continual roar of laughter. Marie Harnish, "the little handkerchief girl," and dances very cleverly, while Gibson and Barnett "make good" in hilarious fashion with their singing and talking turns. Johnnie Drew is a very busy boy indeed, whether singing or dancing, and his work never fails to catch the crowd. Matinees will be given at 3 o'clock on Wednesdays and Saturdays all through the season.

READY FOR BUSINESS.

Blue Grass Liquor Company Inaugurates a New Enterprise.

Collector of Customs J. W. Elliott is in receipt of the following letter from Major J. C. Bryant, of the Blue Grass Liquor Company, who recently located in Newport News and opened a wholesale liquor house at No. 216 Twenty-fourth street:

Internal Revenue Service, Seventh District of Kentucky.

Collector's Office, Lexington, Ky., July 19, 1899.

Hon. Jesse W. Elliott, Newport News, Va.

My Dear Sir—I take great pleasure in introducing and commending to you Major J. C. Bryant, who has recently removed from Lexington to Newport News to engage in business. Major Bryant is a gentleman of high character and I have no hesitation in commending him to the strongest terms to you and the citizens of Newport News. In a business way I also take pleasure in endorsing Major Bryant, as I have reason to know that the establishment he proposes to open in your city will be first-class in every way. He has purchased a quantity of rare old whiskeys produced in this famous distilling district, including the 1891-92 crops of Sellers' whiskey, and other celebrated brands. In fact, the youngest whiskey he has purchased is the "Curly" brand of 1894. Major Bryant has established relations with the producers of the best whiskeys on the market at all times and I feel sure that he will build up a large trade among people who will appreciate old and pure liquor.

Yours very truly,

Signed SAM J. ROBERTS, Collector Internal Revenue.

In addition to the brands of Kentucky whiskey the Blue Grass Liquor Company, which began business here this week, has in stock, are the following: William T. & Co.'s 1890 Sour Mash; E. J. Gully & Co.'s 1892 Boone's Knoll; Blue Grass Bourbon and Blue Grass Rye. A large supply of California Wines, imported Gin, brandies, cordials, etc., will be kept in stock. The company is now open for business.

E. PEYSER, National Bank Bldg.

AGENTS FOR W. L. DOUGLAS SHOES BEST IN THE WORLD.



Let go or die. That's the alternative of the shipwrecked man with the money bags. If there was only some one to throw him a life preserver, he might save both life and money. Without help it is let go or die. A great many people have a like alternative before them. Business men come to a point where the doctor tells them that they must "let go or die." Probably he advised a sea voyage or mountain air. There's an obstinate cough that won't be shaken off. The lungs are weak and perhaps bleeding. There is emaciation and other symptoms of disease, which if unskillfully or improperly treated terminate in consumption.

Thousands of men and women in a like condition have found complete healing by the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It purifies the blood. It carries off from the system all refuse and poisonous matter. It gives the infected organs the strength to throw off disease.

"I was taken sick and felt so stupid I could hardly go about," writes Miss Mary E. Gwyn, Jackson Co., W. Va. "I had smothering spells. I went to our best physicians and they declared me all one summer. I kept coughing and got so weak I could hardly get about. The two doctors I had said I had lung trouble. I had an awful cough and one day my aunt told me of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. I sent and got a bottle of both kinds—the 'Golden Medical Discovery' and 'Favorite Prescription.' When I had taken that I had no more cough and got more. I had taken of both medicines together ten bottles. Now my lungs do not hurt and I don't have any cough. I am stout now and as well as ever in my life."

Given away. The People's Common Sense Medical Adviser is sent free on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing only. The book contains 1008 pages and 700 illustrations. Sent at one-cent stamps for the paper bound edition, or 31 stamps for the cloth bound. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

Annual Trophy Shoot.

The local sportsmen of the Chesapeake Gun Club will, in the course of about two weeks, have one of the best shoots that has ever been given by the club and already the preparations for the event are being made.

On the first Wednesday in August, according to the present plans the club will hold its annual trophy shoot at Riverview Park, and unless all signs fail, it will be one of the most interesting and largely attended events ever given by local sportsmen.

Quite a number of prizes, or trophies, will be secured before the date for the annual shoot and the gunners will be divided into squads for the event according to their records as "sure shots."

These prizes have heretofore been contributed by the merchants of the city, as an advertisement, and the same plan will be followed this year. A committee will undertake the work of securing these contributions in the course of the next week.

There is a plan on foot to also institute the custom of giving an annual banquet and the first one may be held this year, possibly at the time of the annual trophy shoot. Whether this will be done or not cannot be stated as yet, but the matter is under consideration and the chances are that it will be given.

Before the close of the summer, the Chesapeake Gun Club will, in all probability give a live bird shoot. Previously there has been some trouble in securing birds, but now, it is understood, a gentleman in Richmond has said he could furnish as many as were desired and the shoot may be held.

Buckroe Casino's Patrons Pleased.

The excellent performance given at the Buckroe Casino Monday night served to attract one of the largest audiences of the season last evening. The bill is strong in each and every feature. The efforts of the performers were rewarded with frequent and well merited enthusiastic encores.

Fredo and Forrest, "The Musical Trio" and the Elastic Girl, who were engaged to take the place of Wroth and Wakefield, made one of the hits of the show. Their act is exceptionally meritorious. They introduce some new ideas which are most pleasing, playing upon electric musical bells and a number of other unique instruments.

Arnim and Wagner in their musical travesty; Miles and Raymond, Evans and Grant and Addie Parvart were new friends and new plaudits by their interesting work.

Watch this list of property for sale by Blair P. Wilson & Co., 207 Thirty-first street, Washington Block.

One house and lot in Merrimack on the corner line terms easy.....\$500

Three houses and lots on Twenty-eighth street, the three renting for \$37.50 per month.....\$2,800

One house and lot on Thirty-fourth street between Washington and West avenues, renting for \$30 per month.....\$2,900

One house and lot on Twenty-second street forty-eight rooms, renting \$110.....\$3,650

Five houses and eight lots on Twenty-second street, nine rooms each, \$15 each.....\$3,500

One house on Thirtieth street, 8 rooms, renting for \$25.....\$1,200

One corner store in Lakeville, two-story frame.....\$2,200

Six houses on Twenty-eighth street, seven rooms each, renting for \$30 per month.....\$6,300

Unimproved property all over the city, call on us and let us show you our bargains. Improved property paying interest at the rate of 10 per cent to 30 per cent.

We have lots in East End from \$125 to \$200. These are the most desirable residence lots in the city.

Two lots on Chestnut avenue, corner and the next.....\$700

We have twenty-six of the best residence lots in the city, are now on the market at \$250. These lots are all high

BLAIR P. WILSON & COMPANY, Thirty-first street, Washington Block, 7-16-21

For first-class cleaning, Dyeing and Respairing go to Virginia Dye Works, 305 Washington Avenue. Bell Phone 141. Established 1832. 7-12-1m

PENSIONS.

Bounties, Arrears of Pay, Patents Land Warrants, Duplicate Discharges, Etc., Etc.

SPANISH WAR CLAIMS SETTLED

JOSEPH T. WELDON, Attorney, (Late of WASHINGTON, D. C.)

Address National Soldiers Home Va. P. O. Box 255. 11-12-1f

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

Desiring to retire from the business heretofore conducted by me on Twenty-eighth street and Virginia avenue, in Newport News, Va., under the name of D. S. Jones & Co., I have sold the business, stock, etc., to The D. S. Jones Lumber and Manufacturing Co., taking effect from July 5th, and while thanking the public for their patronage in the past, I would ask that it be continued to the new company.

All persons having claims against the old company will please present them for immediate settlement and those indebted must make settlement within thirty days. Very respectfully, D. S. JONES. 7-15-1f.

To the Public.

Having purchased and assumed control of the D. S. Jones Lumber Plant, we are prepared to furnish estimates on all kinds of building material, and to fill any orders for sash, doors, blind moulding, flooring, framing, shingles, etc., etc.

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Our mill is well equipped with latest improved machinery and we employ skilled labor, which enables us to give perfect satisfaction on all orders for special work.

We solicit your trade. THE D. S. JONES LUMBER AND MANUFACTURING CO. 7-15-1f.

WANTS.

FRENCH COOK DESIRES POSITION. Is a chef or any two boats or steamers. Address Emile Menault, General Delivery, City. 7-17-1f.

WANTED—PARTIES DESIRING A good investment to examine the stock of shoes, notions, dry goods, clothing, etc., at 318 Twenty-eighth street. Will be sold at 90c on the dollar. Will involve about \$1,400. Well selected. Good reasons. 7-18-1f

LIKE TO COMMUNICATE WITH young man (single) familiar with retail lumber business. LUMBER, care of Press 7-19-1f

WANTED—BOARDERS AT 223 27TH street. Nicely furnished rooms, terms reasonable. 7-16-1f

WANTED—A FEW FURNISHED rooms for rent at the Military Academy, with or without board. Twenty-second street and Lafayette avenue. 7-15-1m

PRESCRIPTIONS SENT FOR, FILLED and delivered at all hours of the day or night at Billosy & Billosy's 3510 Washington avenue. Box 7-11

TRY A BOTTLE OF OUR PREPARED Castor Oil, 10c per bottle, children like it. For sale by Billosy & Billosy 3510 Washington avenue. 7-11

WANTED—ELEGANT TABLE board, nicely furnished rooms, hot and cold baths FREE, can be had at THE WYANDOTTE, 130 Thirty-second street. 7-9-1w

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPERS DESIRING help to make their wants known at this office, Newport News Employment and Collection Agency, Corner Washington avenue and 28th street, over drug store.

ARE YOU BOTHERED WITH THE headache, if so try Billosy & Billosy's Headache Powders, 10c a package. Prepared by Billosy & Billosy, 3510 Washington avenue. 7-11

WANTED—TWO NURSE GIRLS, A waiter and a cook. Steady work and good wages. Apply Newport News Employment and Collection Agency, Corner Washington avenue and 28th street, over drug store.

WANTED—FOR CASH, OLD POSTAGE and revenue stamps; valuable stamps found on backs of old photographs. Send for buying list, P. S. Cook, Box 302 Hampton, Va. 5-21f

WANTED—TO BUY OR SELL ALL kinds of furniture and household goods. Repairing and upholstering at short notice. A Rybner, 226 25th street. 4-30-6mo

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—HIGH GRADE PIANO, worth \$400, can be bought for \$135 by a cash customer. See Ferguson & Gavin, at Warwick Hotel. 7-16-1f

FOR SALE—HOUSE OF SIX ROOMS, with one or two lots, at Riverway. Apply on premises. D. W. Hatch, Kiss. 7-16-1f

FOR SALE—GOOD TRUCK FARM, three and one-half miles north of city. With timber, \$2,000; without timber, \$1,500. Good house; orchard. Box 133, city. 7-6-2w

SPECIAL NOTICES.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Highland Building and Loan Company, will be held at the office of Marye, Boynton & Chapin, on Wednesday the 16th day of August 1899 at 7:30 P. M. J. L. MAYRE JR., Secretary. 7-19-1mo

Candidates for teachers' certificates will be examined on spelling, reading, arithmetic, grammar, geography, United States history, physiology and theory and practice of teaching. White teachers—Tuesday, August 1st, and Wednesday, August 2d. Colored teachers—Thursday, August 3d, and Friday, August 4th. Beginning at 9 o'clock, the examinations will be held in the new High school building. Applicants will furnish their pens, ink and paper. THOMAS TEMPLE POWELL, 7-19-11 Superintendent of Schools.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—PACKAGE of D. S. S. Co., receipted freight bills, for Steamer Lary. Of no value to anyone except myself. Finder return to J. W. GUNTER, 218 Twenty-fifth street, 7-19-11

LOST—ON TWENTY-EVENTH street, between Chestnut and Oak, or on Oak, between Twenty-seventh and Ivy's gate, a lead-colored canvass satchel. Has a tag on it with the following on it: "Miss A. Winnie, care of E. T. Ivy, Newport News, Va." Finder will return to Ivy farm and receive suitable reward. 11

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Sale of House and Lot in Newport News, Va.

By virtue of a deed of trust bearing date on the 23rd day of November, 1896, executed by R. C. Norworthy to the undersigned trustees, and recorded in the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Newport News, Virginia, in Deed Book number three (No. 3), page one hundred and fifty-six (No. 156), and default having been made in the payment of the debt secured by said deed and at the request of the beneficiaries named therein, we will sell at public auction, on the 24th day of July, 1899, at 11:00 o'clock A. M., at the corner of Washington Avenue and Twenty-fifth street, in the city of Newport News, Virginia, all that certain lot, piece or parcel of ground, situate and being in Newport News, Warwick county, Virginia, and known and designated on a certain map entitled, "Map of part of the City of Newport News," made by C. M. Braxton, Civil Engineer, and duly filed in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Warwick county, Virginia, on the 15th day of October, 1890, by the lot number fifty-four (No. 54) in block number fourteen (No. 14) of the lot together with all and singular all the tenements thereunto belonging or appertaining.

On this lot is a two-story residence. This property is situated between Bonomo and Chestnut avenues on Twenty-sixth Street in the City of Newport News, Virginia.

Terms of sale cash. Newport News, Va., July 7th, 1899. W. J. NELMS, LAURIN F. SMITH, Trustees. Bernard Nelms, Crier. 7-8-1d

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SPECIAL BARGAINS.

Corner and next lot on Lafayette ave., with two story building, \$10,000.

Corner and next lot on Washington avenue, \$10,000.

Inside lots on Washington ave., \$2,750.

Inside lots near ship yard, on Washington avenue, \$5,500.

Corner lot on West avenue, \$6,000.

Improved property on Washington ave. on corner and fronting 50 ft. \$30,000.

Another improved piece, \$12,000.

Another, \$10,000.

Inside lots on Lafayette avenue above ship yard, \$2,250.

Corner lot and next one on Lafayette above ship yard, \$5,750.

Lots on Twenty-eighth street between Jefferson and Madison aves., for \$525.

Lots in East End, \$150 to \$800.

A good store renting for \$40 per month for \$2,500.

Several other good rental properties paying 10 to 20 per cent.

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